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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6769 NOTE PREPARED: Feb 21, 2011 **BILL NUMBER:** SB 192 **BILL AMENDED:** Jan 25, 2011

SUBJECT: Marijuana Study.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Talian

BILL STATUS: 2nd Reading - 1st House

FIRST SPONSOR:

FUNDS AFFECTED: GENERAL IMPACT: State

DEDICATED FEDERAL

Summary of Legislation: This bill requires the Criminal Law and Sentencing Policy Study Committee to study issues relating to marijuana.

Effective Date: July 1, 2011.

Explanation of State Expenditures: The Criminal Law Study Committee has 14 members, consisting of 8 legislators, 1 lay member, 4 state employees, and 1 circuit or superior court judge. The committee operates under the policies governing study committees adopted by the Legislative Council. Legislative Council resolutions in the past have established budgets for interim study committees in the amount of \$9,500 per interim for committees with fewer than 16 members. The Criminal Law Study Committee should be able to add this study to their plan of work within the likely committee budget.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: Legislative Services Agency; Criminal Justice Institute.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: IC 2-5.5-5

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